SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 700 By Graves

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Alicia Pinson, 2002 Salutatorian of Greenbrier High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Alicia Pinson is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Greenbrier High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Pinson has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, Alicia Pinson has earned numerous honors during her high school career, including Outstanding Student of America and Awards for Outstanding Achievement in Chemistry, Geometry, Foods I, Foods II, Spanish II, Algebra II, Advanced English 10, and

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Advanced English 11; she also competed and earned distinction at the Future Business Leaders of America Conference; and

WHEREAS, Miss Pinson is an active member of her school and community, participating in the Key Club, Junior Civitans, the Spanish Club, the Beta Club, Youth Helping Youth, Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America, Health Occupations Students of America, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Tennis Team, and she has volunteered in the canned food, coat, and blood drives; and

WHEREAS, a well-respected leader among her peers, she has served as Vice-President of the Future Business Leaders of America, Treasurer of Senior Sisters, and Yearbook Editor; and

WHEREAS, Miss Pinson is a devout Christian and has cheerfully served her Lord through her church's youth group, the Church Handbell Choir, Vacation Bible School, and the church nursery and by performing mission work in Mobile and Charleston; and

WHEREAS, Alicia Pinson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Pinson's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success throughout life; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Alicia Pinson, 2002 Salutatorian of Greenbrier High School, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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